

MORE OF THE HORROR.

DISASTROUS COLLISION OF FREIGHT TRAINS ON THE WARSAW.

Two Freight Trains Collide, Wrecking Two Engines and Eighteen Cars—Several Persons Seriously Injured—Eight Fat Stock Horses, Laden with Freight, in the Wreck—Some of the Horses Killed—Surgons Sent to the Scene of the Wreck.

St. Louis, June 10.—A disastrous railroad wreck is reported from Warren, Mo., sixteen miles west of here, on the Warsaw road. Dispatches to headquarters of the road here say that two freight trains collided just outside of Warren yesterday morning, that both engines and eighteen cars were wrecked, and that seven men were killed and several wounded. There were eight fat stock horses, laden with freight, in the wreck, and two of the horses were reported killed, but no names have yet been received. Fifteen horses are also reported killed. Of the trainmen, Engineer Shively had a rib broken, Fireman Lee Parsons had his collar bone broken, Fireman Brown, leg badly sprained, brakeman Norton was slightly hurt. A wrecking train was sent out from Moberly, and surgeons from several points were sent to the scene as soon as possible.

Following is a list of killed:

Wm. H. Thomas, colored, Cynthia, Ky.; Henry Stone, trainer, Harrodsburg, Ky.; Jas. Kelley, Chicago; Frank Kelley, Chicago; Ed. Simmons, hostler, Lexington, Ky.; Morris Green, colored, Lexington, Ky.; Samuel Davis, jockey, Lexington, Ky.

William Taylor, colored, Covington, Ky.; arm broken; Leo Parsons, Washburn, engineer, arm broken; J. E. Norton, brakeman, severely injured; Louis Augustus, colored, Harrodsburg, Ky., left thigh fractured; George Hurley, colored, Cynthia, Ky., arm broken; Lee Brown, Louisville, arm broken; Morrill Johnson, colored, St. Louis, arm broken.

YELLOW FEVER.

Two Seamen Sick, One of Whom Died, the Other in Quarantine.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The surgeon general of the marine hospital service has received a report from Passed Assistant Surgeon Carter, in charge of the United States quarantine station at Chaudes Island, La., concerning the report of yellow fever there. The report says that the British ship, Arvon, at Windsor, N. S., arrived at the station, forty days from Rio Janeiro, in ballast, with two seamen sick, one of whom died shortly afterward, and the other patient for at least at quarantine, with prospect of recovery.

At the Tippecanoe Battle Grounds.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—A favorable report on a bill authorizing the erection of a monument at the Tippecanoe battle ground, Indiana, was made to the house yesterday from the committee on public lands. A favorable report was made to the house yesterday by Mr. Payson, from the committee on public lands, on a bill to confirm the title to certain lands in the city of Santa Fe, N. M.

Land Presented to Harvard.

Boston, June 10.—Col. Henry L. Higgins has presented twenty acres of land to Harvard college. This land adjoins seventy-five acres of marsh land already owned by the college and will be a starting point from which the marsh land will be filled in and the ninety-five acres be devoted to athletic purposes.

Discharged for Lack of Evidence.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The examination of storekeeper Layden and his assistant Murdock of the steamship City of Chicago yesterday afternoon resulted in Layden's discharge for lack of evidence against him, and the holding of Murdock for the action of the grand jury.

Three Men Crushed to Death.

PRENTICE, Ky., June 10.—While workmen were getting out iron ore in a bank two miles south of here, yesterday morning, the earth suddenly caved, and three of the twelve workmen were caught and crushed to death. Two others had their legs broken. Their names were not ascertained.

Placed in Charge.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—James J. Brooks, ex-chief of the secret service division of the treasury department was yesterday placed in charge of the division.

The Belgians Will Sail To-Day.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The seven Belgian glass blowers whom the Umbria refused to take back to Europe will sail on the Wisconsin to-day.

LATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Explorer Stanley's wedding day has been fixed for July 13.

THE COWLES CASE.

He Affixed His Signature to a Document Relating His Child to His Wife—Afraids He Will Die.

MONTREAL, June 10.—Yesterday afternoon Eugene H. Cowles called for Superintendent Kirkpatrick, of the Montreal hospital, and stated that he was willing to surrender his daughter Florence to his wife. He affixed his signature to the following document: "To madame Shultzen, of the Sacred Heart convent: 'Please deliver to my wife, Alice Cowles, my daughter, Florence Cowles, without delay and consider this annulment of my former order respecting the child.' EUGENE H. COWLES."

Settles the Abduction Case.

Judge Tait was seen yesterday afternoon and shown the above document. He considered that it settled the abduction case, but adjourned it till to-day. Mrs. Cowles was then communicated with and she received the news with much satisfaction. Cowles' condition last night was quite serious, more especially because he is suffering from consumption. "If I die," he said to a reporter, "and I am afraid I will, it will go hard with poor Alice Hale." Hale was released yesterday from prison in charge of two officers and is stopping with his friends at the Windsor. A general satisfaction is expressed at this unexpected turn of affairs in the case.

A NEW ORGANIZATION.

The Ladies Favor Woman Suffrage, but do Not Advocate Prohibition.

NEW YORK, June 10.—About fifty-two temperance ladies who do not approve a political method in temperance work formed an organization yesterday at the Allen house, on Broadway. Mrs. James Fairman, wife of a prominent Republican, was elected president; Mrs. E. M. Van Brunt, Mrs. Weed and Mrs. Evans, vice presidents. Miss Fairman, secretary. Mrs. G. H. Holden, treasurer. Mrs. E. J. Phinney, of Cleveland, and Miss C. C. Alford, of Brooklyn, were the leading speakers. The ladies generally favor woman suffrage, but do not support the prohibition constitutional amendment and do not advocate prohibition in any way.

REFUSED TO ANSWER.

Warrants Issued for the Arrest of Sixty New Yorkers.

NEW YORK, June 10.—The United States district attorney's office was crowded yesterday morning with census enumerators who had come to lodge complaints against certain persons, whose stubbornness and refusal to answer questions render it next to impossible to complete the taking of the census within the prescribed time. Warrants were issued in thirty-five cases, and these were handed to United States Marshal Jacobs for execution. These were disposed of, and in a very short time twenty-five more were issued and many officers sent out to serve them. There will be a busy time in the federal building for some days to come.

THE ENGLISH GOVERNMENT.

Has Prohibited the Running of Twenty-Two Lobster Factories.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 10.—Rev. William Browne, who has just arrived from Bonne Bay, N. F., says the English government has prohibited the running of twenty-two lobster factories built or in course of construction by natives. The shore fishing has been poor for several years and the people have depended upon working in the lobster factories, which are owned by Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island men. After the work on the new factories had begun the owners of the present plants engaged their help in Nova Scotia and now comes the edict from England that no new factories will be allowed.

THE TARIFF BILL.

The Cotton Schedule Finished and Few Changes Made.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—The senate committee on finance yesterday continued the consideration of the tariff bill. The cotton schedule was concluded, but few changes were made. The committee has now nearly completed the bill, and a member stated that the majority members would probably conclude their work on the bill to-night. The report on the bill will probably not be made until the latter part of this week or the first part of the week to come.

To go to the Electric Route.

NEW YORK, June 10.—Nicola Puzos, the young Italian who was convicted on Friday last, in the Kings county court, of assassinating the first degree, for having shot and killed Alexander Salvano, at Flatbush, on April 6, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Moore, to be taken to Sing Sing and held in the work beginning July 31st, in the mode and manner prescribed by the law.

Murder and Attempted Sale.

CHICAGO, June 10.—Joseph Montag, aged 57, shot and killed his wife, aged 48, and fired a bullet into his own lung, 129 North Clark street, yesterday afternoon. Owing to Montag's bad habits his wife had left him, and failing to induce her to return to him he committed the terrible crime. Montag cannot recover.

One Guest Burned to Death.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 10.—The Trembath hotel was burned late last night. One guest, W. P. Bombaugh, was burned to death. Mrs. Trembath, the landlady, and her step-daughter, Miss Annie Wilson, were seriously burned and otherwise injured. The loss on building and furniture is about \$10,000.

Emperor William Highly Pleased.

LONDON, June 10.—Prince Bismarck in an interview with a correspondent of the Telegraph yesterday, expressed his opinion that the chancellor Caprivi was a "perfect gentleman" highly praised Emperor William and declared himself to be extremely hopeful for Germany's future.

SILVERED ORATORY.

MR. COCKRELL, ADDRESSED THE SENATE ON THE SILVER BILL.

A Sarcasm Petition Received in the Senate Asking a Pension for Ex-Soldiers—The House Silver Bill Laid Before the Senate and Was Ordered to be Printed and Laid on the Table—The Title of the House Silver Bill Amended—Evening Session Held.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—A number of petitions were presented to the senate yesterday, among them one from Nelson, Neb., praying (sarcasmically) that all ex-soldiers over 100 years old shall have a pension of \$2 a month. Referred. Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, introduced a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution, providing for the election of postmasters by the people. Mr. Call, of Florida, offered a resolution requesting the president to institute negotiations with the government of Spain for such modifications of the treaty with that government as will enable American cattle to be shipped from Florida and elsewhere in the United States relieved from the present oppressive rates of duty, and on such terms as may be reciprocal between Cuba and the United States. Further routine business having been transacted, the silver bill was taken up, and Mr. Cockrell addressed the senate. He said that if enacted into law, the further course of silver bullion into standard dollars would rest wholly in the mere discretion of the secretary of the treasury. Under the proposed measure the secretary would have to purchase \$5,000,000 worth of silver every month and pay out treasury notes for it, but he was not required to coin any of it into dollars. All the benefit that could be claimed for the proposed bill was that the secretary would be compelled to purchase \$500,000 worth of silver every month more than he now has the right to purchase, and that the currency would be increased to that extent. Silver bullion was to be treated as a mere commodity, and was to give none of the equivalents of money or currency.

Why, he asked, continue that legal discrimination and the relentless war against silver? The action of congress upon the silver question, he said, would affect not only the people of the United States directly, but also indirectly, the people of all nations for ages to come. In season and out of season those who favored the unlimited coinage of silver were taunted with trying to flood the country with 72-cent dollars; and the noble and self-sacrificing members of the silver lobby, "In God we trust," was sneered at and derided as meaning "In God we trust for the other 28 cents to make it one dollar." He believed it to be the duty of congress, regardless of the possible action of other nations, to remove the steps, cancel the false impressions and apprehensions of European nations, caused by unfounded representations, and restore silver to a perfect equality with gold, both as coin and bullion. At the close of Mr. Cockrell's speech, the house silver bill was laid before the senate.

Mr. Teller moved that the bill be printed and laid on the table. (With out reference to the finance committee) asked Mr. Harris, "Without reference," said Mr. Teller. It was so ordered.

Mr. Vest, in pursuance of the notice given by him last Saturday, asked the senate to take up for consideration the bill reported by Mr. Vest of silver bullion on the sale and transportation of meat products, "to prohibit monopoly in the transportation of cattle to foreign countries."

Length of time consumed in debate over the silver bill, and the bill was laid up and a discussion of its provisions was carried on between Mr. Vest in defense of them and Mr. Hoar and Mr. Hale in attack upon them. Mr. Hale moved to amend the bill by inserting the words "and also by contract for its good faith by persons or parties having cattle for transportation at the date of such contract sufficient to occupy such storage room." Mr. Vest opposed the amendment and Mr. Hoar spoke in favor of it. The vote on the amendment was 23 yeas and 23 nays. The yeas having voted, the senate, without further action on the amendment, at 5:30, adjourned.

In the House.

In the house yesterday, on motion of Mr. Comstock, of Minnesota, the title of the silver bill, passed Saturday, was amended so as to read as follows: "Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States, that the secretary of the treasury, and the issue of treasury notes thereon, and for other purposes." Mr. Lodge, of Massachusetts, offered the following resolution: "That the secretary of the treasury be directed to inform the house whether it is true that the Comstock company, on Saturday last, refused to obey the orders of the officers of the United States to give return passage to certain immigrants landed in New York by said company, in violation of the contract labor laws."

The Contract Labor Laws.

of the United States, and to, what steps, if any, have been taken to refuse entry of the steamships of said company until said company has complied with the laws of the United States and made due reparation for the refusal to obey the orders of the officers thereof." The resolution was referred to the committee on foreign affairs. The house then went into committee of the whole on a bill affecting the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad company in Washington. The afternoon was spent in discussion of the measure, but no action was taken and the committee rose and then, at 8 o'clock, took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session being for the consideration of private pension bills.

Its Heart in Its Throat.

PHILADELPHIA, June 10.—A curious freak of nature in an exhibition in the veterinary department of the university of Pennsylvania. The strange being is a living calf having an abnormal displacement of the heart. This organ is located in the lower extremities of the neck. The heart of the freak performs all its customary duties as though located in its normal position.

Almost Scalded in a Runaway.

WEST NEWTON, Pa., June 10.—Andrew Montgomery, dairyman, and his 14-year-old son were badly hurt yesterday evening in a runaway. Mr. Montgomery's face was cut badly, and the son received other injuries. James, the son, was almost scalded.

OVER NIAGARA FALLS.

An Unknown Man Jumps from Goat Island Bridge—Half Hour Later Another Body Went Over.

NIAGARA FALLS, June 11.—Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon parties landing on Goat Island bridge were surprised to see a man throw his hat over the railing and, in an instant, place his hands on the rail and vault over into the rapids. As he reached the brink of the falls he threw up both hands, shouting that he was alive. A few moments later the body was seen to float out from.

Under the Falls.

apparently dead, and was down the river. The steamer Maid of the Mist started in pursuit, and when about a boat length off the body sank out of sight. The man is described as a large person, well dressed and wore a dark blue coat, with small bald spot on the back of his head. About a half hour later the body of another man, dressed in dark clothes was seen floating down the rapids and going over the falls.

AFTER A LONG WAIT.

Resignation of the Pastor of the Delmont Presbyterian Church.

GREENSBURG, Pa., June 11.—Rev. J. L. Thompson, for the past fourteen years pastor of the Delmont Presbyterian church, has tendered his resignation, and will preach his farewell sermon on the 33d of this month. During Mr. Thompson's stay in this congregation there has been considerable trouble, similar to that in which Dr. Beale, of Johnstown, is now involved. The case was taken to the presbytery about ten years ago, and he was dismissed, but he appealed to the synod, and they reversed the decision of the presbytery, with the understanding that he would resign, but he has remained until the present time. The affair has attracted much attention among Presbyterians throughout Western Pennsylvania, as it has caused a split in the church, a large number of the members leaving and going elsewhere. It is now thought that the congregation will unite again.

THE WOOL SCHEDULE.

Causes a Very Warm Discussion Before the Senate Finance Committee.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The senate finance committee had a pretty warm discussion over the wool and woolen schedule. Senator Sherman proposed an amendment which changed the schedule so as to consider wool on woolen and worsted goods, but it was not adopted. A slight change was made, however, in the house bill relating to these items. Senator Allison proposed an amendment cutting down the rates on wool to about the same as they are under the existing law, but it was not adopted. Mr. Allison will offer some amendments in the senate and endeavor to have them adopted. Chairman McKinley and other Republican members of the ways and means committee are in daily conference with the Republican members of the senate finance committee, and are therefore fully advised of all proposed changes in the house bill.

OH, WHAT A MISTAKE.

A Young Gent Kisses the Old Man Instead of His Girl.

PHILADELPHIA, June 11.—John Shilton was arrested at an early hour yesterday morning on the charge of attempted burglary. The hearing in the police court showed that John was paying attention to the old man's daughter. The parents' rule was for him to leave at 10 o'clock. John made a compact with his girl to return, she left the door open and he entered, and, mistaking the old man for the girl, kissed him on the cheek. He was dark and he mistook the body for his sweetheart. He kissed and there was a surprise. The girl turned out to be the old man. John fled, but was captured, and is now awaiting a further hearing.

Democratic State Campaign Opened.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 11.—An immense crowd attended the opening meeting of the Democratic state campaign at Greenville yesterday. Ben Tillman attacked the state government in a long speech. Gen. John Britton, the candidate for governor on the regular Democratic ticket, made his first address. The campaign will be a very exciting one. The Tillman faction expects a grand attendance and the regular Democrats are beginning to organize in every county.

Broke Down and Confessed.

FREDERICKTOWN, Mo., June 11.—Sheridan Copias, aged 29 years, a native of Ireland, who was arrested at John Wathen, telephone operator on the Iron Mountain railroad, have been arrested for robbing the mail carrier of \$3,000, near Mine La Motte, on Friday last. Wathen broke down and confessed the crime. Most of the money has been recovered.

No Attempts Made to Move Cart.

COLUMBUS, O., June 11.—The Consolidated Street Railway company have thus far refused to comply with the resolutions unanimously passed by the city council Monday night to either pay the strikers their demands for increased wages or submit the question to arbitration. No attempts have been made to move carts.

Two Appearances Made.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The postmaster general yesterday appointed Edward J. Ryan, superintendent of the first division of the railway mail service, vice W. H. Bigelow, deceased, and Spencer W. Shephardson, assistant superintendent railway mail service, vice Edward J. Ryan, promoted.

To be Worried About to Death.

CHICAGO, June 11.—J. F. Goddard was unanimously elected chairman of the Western Passenger association yesterday at a salary of \$12,000 a year. He is to serve until the yearly he will be subjected to drive him in search of rest or he is removed by a two-thirds vote of the association.

Started Out to Kill Two Wives.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Henry Smiler was yesterday found guilty of murder in the first degree for the killing of his wife. Smiler is a printer by trade. He had several wives and started out one day to kill two of them, but could not get into the house of one of his intended victims.

Button Works Burned.

NEW YORK, June 11.—The City Button works, at Canal and Center streets, were burned last night. Loss, \$70,000.

HAS A SERIOUS ASPECT.

EFFORTS TO COMPROMISE DIFFERENCES HAVE PROVED FUTILE.

The Company Attempt to Run the Cars with Seals, Under Police Protection—The Car Surrounded and Ditched and the Driver and Conductor Fleed for Their Lives—City Council Adopt a Resolution Notifying the Company to Operate the Road.

COLUMBUS, O., June 10.—The strike of the Consolidated Street Railway company is beginning to look serious. Yesterday was the sixth day of the strike, and as the Consolidated company control every line in the city Columbus is totally without street car facilities. All kinds of business is badly affected, the large establishments being compelled to furnish carriages to convey their customers to and from their stores. The company has made several attempts to run cars under police protection, but without success. All efforts to compromise the differences have proved futile, and Saturday the differences between the company and the men were only 2-3 cents on a day's wages. Sunday the various labor organizations met and tendered sympathy, means and force, if necessary, to carry their point. Yesterday the company, with a force of hired "scabs," made attempts to run the cars under police protection. The first car had hardly got started when the populace rushed on the street and hundreds of workmen surrounded the car and ditched it, the driver and conductor fleeing for their lives. The car was run back to the barn. The second car got as far as High street half filled with police, when 3,000 people gathered around and the strikers or their friends seized it, whirled it around, hit the driver over the head, frightened off the conductor and unhitched the horses. No further attempts were made to move cars. The whole laboring population of the city was sworn to the streets and were determined that the cars should not run till the men got the wages demanded.

Men and Women by Thousands.

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A Terrible Riot Seemed Imminent.

and Mayor Bruck issued orders that no more attempts to run cars should be made until the wage question was settled. Public sentiment is almost unanimous for the strikers, who receive less pay than any car men in the country. It was ordered that night adopted a resolution instructing the city clerk to notify the Consolidated Street Car company to immediately put its cars in motion, taking back worthy employees to operate them at the increased wages asked or consent to submit the matter of the wages to arbitration. In case the company does neither, the city clerk is authorized to bring suit to oust the company from its franchises in the streets.

DIPHTHERIA FEARED.

Serious Epidemic Unless Prompt Measures Are Taken to Check It.

LIMA, June 10.—What promises to be a serious epidemic of diphtheria, unless prompt measures are taken to check it, has appeared here. There have been two deaths within the past week from the disease and several new cases were reported yesterday. In the fatal cases the attending physicians made no report to the health officer, and in both public funerals were held, which in all probability has been the cause of the spread of the disease. The people are very uneasy and fear that the disease has secured such a foothold that an epidemic cannot be averted. Unless the local board takes hold of the matter, the state board will be appealed to for an enforcement of the law.

HEAD, LEGS AND AN ARM CUT OFF.

A Panhandle Brakeman Falls Under a Train, Meeting a Quick Death.

STEECHVILLE, O., June 10.—Yesterday G. M. Hickman, a brakeman on the Panhandle railroad, met with a horrible and sudden death near Mingo Junction. The train was running at a rapid rate when he fell off the top of the car. His head was cut off as clean as if done by a butcher's cleaver, both legs and the left arm were severed. Hickman was from Altoona, Pa., was about 30 years of age, and was a well built, fine-looking young man. His name was picked in India ink on his left arm.

Clever Forgery.

LIMA, June 10.—A series of forgeries which were worked on a number of merchants has just come to light. The scheme was to forge the name of the lumber firm of Johnson & Jones to checks which were made payable to the order of prominent citizens, whose names would then be forged on the back of the checks, as would also be notes requesting certain merchants to cash them. The fellow then hired boys to take the checks and secure the money. W. H. Lamberton, Beeman & Co. and several other firms were taken in for \$80 each.

Compound Interest.

FR. ROOSEVY, O., June 10.—A curious freak of nature was exhibited here yesterday by Mr. Durr in the shape of an old potato which had been burst open by a new one, which was growing on the inside and could plainly be seen through the aperture.

Robbed Express Packages.

CINCINNATI, June 10.—Ben S. Barbour, station agent of the Cincinnati Southern railroad at Hanover, Tenn., has disappeared, \$2,400 short in his accounts. Most of the money was appropriated from express packages.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

William Robinson, who killed Christian Ashoff in a quarrel about sprinkling sales on the sidewalk in Delaware last winter, was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary.

The Sunday baseball players at Youngstown were arrested yesterday at the instance of the Law and Order society. The Wheeling club paid a fine of \$10, while the Youngstown club was fined a trial.

Swept Over the Falls.

St. John, N. B., June 10.—Two men, names unknown, attempted to row a boat across the river above the grand falls yesterday. The current was too strong, and they were carried over the falls. No trace of boat or men has yet been found.

STATE DOCTORS.

Opening of the Convention of the Medical Association—Story of the Johnstown Flood.

PITTSBURGH, June 11.—The fortieth annual session of the Medical society of the state of Pennsylvania began its sessions yesterday at the Bijou theatre. There were doctors present from all parts of the state, most of the delegates from country associations, though many others were in attendance who were entitled to seats, but not as delegates. When the president, Dr. J. B. Murdoch, called the convention to order there were, perhaps, 200 doctors of medicine in the seats. Others were still coming in, and most of the delegates arrived during the day. In the audience were two lady physicians, Dr. Alice Bennett, of Norristown, and Dr. Jane K. Garver, of Harrisburg. Others will be here during the present session of the convention.

The Address of Welcome.

Rev. Dr. David Jones, of the First M. P. church, Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, opened the convention with prayer, after which Dr. E. A. Ford, of the South side, delivered the address of welcome. It was brief and listened to with attention. Dr. Wood, after appropriately welcoming the delegates on behalf of the Allegheny County Medical association, said that wherever Allegheny county physicians had gone they had been well treated by their brethren in the profession. He spoke of the harmony and prosperity of the State Medical society, of the good it has accomplished, and urged that an effort be made to bring every honorable medical practitioner of this state into the ranks, and also an effort to be made to encourage and induce the country doctor to take his honorable place in the front rank of the state society. At the conclusion of the doctor's address he was warmly applauded by the delegates. Dr. Wood then announced that, while it was not on the programme, he desired that Dr. Waggoner, of Johnstown, be allowed to read a paper, and the request was cheerfully complied with.

The Conemaugh Valley Flood.

The address of Dr. Waggoner was a very able one, read in a touching manner. Dr. Waggoner, as he detailed the story of that fearful flood in the Conemaugh valley, how he had lost his wife and parents, and how the medical fraternity of Johnstown who escaped suffered, almost brought tears to the eyes of many of the physicians, accustomed as they are to all manner of touching scenes. On motion it was ordered that the address of Dr. Waggoner be printed in the official record of the convention. President Murdoch read a letter from Dr. J. C. Stewart, a former president, who stated that he was unable to attend because of ill health and because he was about to sail for Europe. He wished to be remembered to the society.

TOMMY SUTTON DEAD.

Soda Water His Only Sustenance for Ninety-Six Days.

DEWQUE, Ia., June 11.—Tommy Sutton, after living without solid food for ninety-six days, died yesterday. During all that time his only sustenance was soda water. Previous to the death of the boy a council of physicians was held, and all united in pronouncing it a case of paralysis of the stomach and bowels. Several years ago the lad suffered a fall, and was never in perfect health thereafter. Ninety-six days ago his stomach refused all solid food, and soda water was the only liquid he could retain. His sufferings were intense, but he bore them uncomplainingly until death came to his relief. Physicians pronounced the case one of the most remarkable on record.

NATIONAL ELECTION BILLS.

The Lodge and Rowell Bills to be Blended Together—The Bill Should Really be a National Measure.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—The Republican caucus of the house, adjourned from Thursday last, considered the Lodge and Rowell national election bills last night. Chestnut, the colored member from North Carolina, spoke in favor of the Lodge bill. Other members spoke in favor of one or the other measure. Speaker Reed proposed that the two bills be blended, so that the features of the Rowell bill providing for an extension of the power of federal supervisors should be retained, but that the bill should really be a national election measure.

It Had Been Intended.

to take a vote on the bills at 1 o'clock, but when that hour arrived it was decided to postpone action for half an hour. A resolution was offered providing that the bill be referred to the caucus committee on elections to report back to another caucus a bill embracing the features outlined by the speaker. When 10:30 arrived a vote was taken on the resolution and it was agreed to with out dissent. The caucus then adjourned.

Many Wedding Gifts Received.

LONDON, June 11.—Miss Raffolovich, who will become the wife of Wm. O'Brien to-day, has received a large number of wedding gifts, some of which are very beautiful and costly. The admirers of herself and Mr. O'Brien among the ladies of Dublin, have presented her with an elaborate set of bed and table linen of the highest quality, and the ladies of Cork and Kinnear have sent exquisite specimens of lace work.

Augustin Daily Opens His Season.

LONDON, June 11.—Mr. Augustin Daly began his season at the Lyceum theatre yesterday evening. The manager and his company were cordially welcomed, and the performance elicited frequent manifestations of approval.

Delegates Appointed.

MELBOURNE, June 11.—The Victorian assembly yesterday unanimously approved the principle of Australian federation and appointed delegates to the proposed convention of the Australian colonies on the subject.

Machinery Hall to be Preserved.

PARIS, June 11.—The chamber of deputies passed a resolution yesterday by a vote of 387 to 47 to preserve as a permanent structure the machinery hall of the late exhibition.

The Empress Confined to Bed.

BREILIN, June 11.—The German Empress is confined to her bed with a cold and a headache.

SILVER BILL REFERRED.

THE HOUSE SILVER BILL REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

The Silver Bill in the Senate—Debate to be Limited to Five Minutes After Friday—Mr. Teller Made a Lengthy and Interesting Speech—His Vote to be Given the Measure That Will Relieve the Burden on the Debtors—Postoffice Appropriation Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, June 11.—In the senate yesterday the house silver bill was referred to the committee on finance. Mr. Edmunds introduced a bill providing that all funds or other property lately belonging to or in possession of or claimed by the corporation of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, to which it shall appear there is no lawful private right, shall be devoted to the benefit of public common schools in Utah, the money to be disposed of by the